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TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING SUBMISSION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371		ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER 40853-01-5142US02
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. <b>PCT/US2004/039712</b>		U.S. APPLICATION NO. (if known, see 37 CFR 1.55) <b>10/579621</b>
INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE <b>24 November 2004</b>	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED <b>24 November 2003</b>	
TITLE OF INVENTION <b>GLYCOPEGYLATED ERYTHROPOIETIN</b>		
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US <b>Shawn DEFREES, Robert J. BAYER, David A. ZOPF</b>		


Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/ Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

- ☒ This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.
- ☐ This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.
- ☐ This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.
- ☒ The U.S. has been elected (Article 31).
- ☒ A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))
  - ☐ is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
  - ☐ has been communicated by the International Bureau.
  - ☒ is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).
- ☐ An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).
  - ☐ is attached hereto.
  - ☐ has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
- ☐ Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))
  - ☐ are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
  - ☐ have been communicated by the International Bureau.
  - ☐ have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.
  - ☐ have not been made and will not be made.
- ☐ An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).
- ☐ An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).
- ☐ An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).

Items 11. to 20. below concern document(s) or information included:

- ☒ An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.
- ☐ An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
- ☒ A preliminary amendment.
- ☒ An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.
- ☒ A substitute specification.
- ☐ A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.
- ☐ A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821 - 1.825.
- ☐ A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
- ☐ A second copy of the English language translation of the International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
- ☒ Other items or information: Postcard, copies of Int'l. Search Report and 2 references cited thereon, Preliminary Amendment, 12 replacement figures

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21. The following fees are submitted: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> a) Basic national fee <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> b) Examination fee <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> c) Search fee <b>TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =</b>				Applicant Use	Office use only
				\$ 300.00	
				\$ 200.00	
				\$ 100.00	
				\$ 600.00	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Additional fee for specification and drawings filed in paper over 100 sheets (excluding sequence listing or computer program listing filed in an electronic medium). The fee is \$250 for each additional 50 sheets of paper or fraction thereof.					
Total sheets	Extra sheets	Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof (round up to a whole number)	RATE		
129- 100 =	29	1	x \$250.00	\$ 250.00	
Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)).				\$	
CLAIMS	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE		
Total claims	34- 20 =	14	x \$50.00	\$ 700.00	
Independent claims	2- 3 =	0	x \$200.00	\$	
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable)				+ \$360.00	\$
<b>TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =</b>				\$ 2150.00	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. The fees indicated above are reduced by 1/2.				\$ 1075.00	
<b>SUBTOTAL =</b>				\$ 1075.00	
Processing fee of \$130.00 for furnishing the English translation later than 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)).				\$	
<b>TOTAL NATIONAL FEE =</b>				\$ 1075.00	
Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$40.00 per property				\$	
<b>TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED =</b>				\$ 1075.00	
Amount to be refunded:					\$
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a. <input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of \$_____ to cover the above fees is enclosed. b. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Please charge my Deposit Account No. 50-0310 in the amount of \$1075.00 to cover the above fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. c. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0310. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. d. <input type="checkbox"/> Fees are to be charged to a credit card. WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.					
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